

Hidden Things brought to Light,

FOR

The Increase of Knowledge,

IN READING the

B I B L E : *Appendix*

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An Explanation of the Coin, Money-weights, and Measures, mentioned in the BIBLE; As Shekels, Talents, Pieces of Silver, or Silverings, Pence, &c. And what they are in Value, in Gold and Silver; According to English Current Money: Being cast up in Shekels, Drams, and from one Talent to three hundred and fifty thousand Talents, in plain Words; For the Understanding of any that can read the BIBLE.

Also, In what Chapters and Verse, or Verses, they are to be found.

Likewise, The Weights and Measures, how much are English.

And also, Hard words of Offices and Sects, Explained.

Very Useful for all that can read *English*, and for all Schools.
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PROVERBS Chapter-IX. Verse. 9.

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The Money Weights and Measures mentioned in the Old and New TESTAMENTS, with their Value, and how much it is in *English* current Money, either in Gold or Silver, in regard, *Troy* Weight being the most Antientest Weight, by which, &c. *Troy* Weight, eight Drams makes an Ounce, and twelve Ounces a Pound.

There are three Sorts or Kinds of Shekels, also of Talents, mentioned in the Scriptures of TRUTH.

FIRST, The common Shekel, which was a Quarter of an Ounce, or two Drams; worth fifteen Pence.

The King's Shekel weighted three Drams; worth one Shilling ten Pence half Penny.

The Shekel of the Sanctuary or Temple, weighted four Drams, or half an Ounce; worth two Shillings and six Pence.

Also there are three Sorts of Talents; The common Talent which weighted three thousand Quarters of Ounces; Or common Shekels, which is six thousand Drams; and is one hundred eighty seven Pound ten Shillings.

The King's Talent weighted three thousand of the King's Shekels, which is nine thousand Drams; and is two hundred eighty one Pounds five Shillings.

The Talent of the Temple weighted three thousand Shekels of the Temple, which is so many half Ounces; and comes to three hundred seventy five Pounds.

A Silvering, or piece of Silver often mentioned, is worth two Shillings and six Pence.

The common Shekel of Gold is two Drams, and worth fifteen Shillings.

The King's Shekel of Gold is three Drams, and worth one Pound two Shillings and six Pence.

The Shekel of Gold of the Temple is four Drams or half an Ounce ; worth one Pound ten Shillings.

The common Talent of Gold, is worth two thousand two hundred fifty Pounds.

The King's Talent of Gold, is worth three thousand three hundred seventy five Pounds.

The Talent of Gold of the Sanctuary or Temple, is worth four thousand five hundred Pounds.

The Jews had another Weight called *Mina*, but not of so much use as the other ; The common *Mina* of Silver, which is six Drams, or thirty seven Shillings six Pence.

The King's *Mina* being eighty Drachams or Drams, is fifty Shillings.

The *Mina* of the Temple is one hundred Drams : That is, three Pounds two Shillings and six Pence.

There is also a *Gerah*, which is one Penny half Penny.

Now follows what the Money thro' the whole BIBLE is worth, with the Names of the Chapters, Verse or Verses, where it is mentioned.

GENESIS 20. 16. And to Sarah Abimelech said, I have given to thy Brother one thousand pieces of Silver, which were called Silverings, Is one hundred twenty five Pounds.

Gen: 23. 16. And Abraham bought a burying Place for four hundred Shekels of Silver, current Money with the Merchant, which were common Shekels ; Is twenty five Pounds.

Gen: 24. 22. That the Man took a Gold Ear-ring of half a Shekel weight ; Is seven Shillings six Pence. And two Bracelets for her hands, of ten Shekels weight of Gold ; Is seven Pounds ten Shillings.

Gen: 37. 28. Joseph's Brethren sold him for twenty pieces of Silver, Which is two Pounds ten Shillings.

Gen: 45. 22. He gave to Benjamin three hundred pieces of Silver ; Is thirty seven Pounds ten Shillings.

Exodus 25. 39. Of a Talent of pure Gold shall he make it, with all these Vessels ; Is four thousand five hundred Pounds : Being of the Sanctuary.

Exod.

Exod. 30. 13. Every one that was numbred to give half a Shekel of Silver, of the Sanctuary ; *Is one Shilling three Pence.*

Exod: 37. 23, 24. And he made the seven Lamps, and the Snuffers and Snuff-dishes, of pure Gold, of a Talent weight ; *Is four thousand five hundred Pounds, English current Money.*

Exod: 38. 24. All the Gold that was occupied, the Gold of the Offering was twenty nine Talents, and seven hundred and thirty Shekels, after the Shekel of the Sanctuary ; *Is one hundred twenty one thousand five hundred Pounds English current Money.*

Verse 25. And the Silver of them that was numbred of the Congregation, was an hundred Talents, and seven hundred and seventy five Shekels, after the Shekel of the Sanctuary, *comes to thirty seven thousand seven hundred and twenty one Pounds, seventeen Shillings and six Pence.*

Verse 27. And of the hundred Talents of Silver were cast the Sockets of the Sanctuary, and the Sockets of the Vail, one hundred Sockets, a Talent for a Socket ; *Is thirty seven thousand five hundred Pounds.*

Verse 28. And of the thousand seven hundred seventy five Shekels, he made Hooks for the Pillars ; *Is two hundred twenty one Pounds, sixteen Shillings and eight Pence.*

Verse 29. And the Brass of the Offering was seventy Talents, and two thousand four hundred Shekels in weight ; *Is eight hundred fifty Pounds in weight, or seventy nine Tun and an half.*

Leviticus 27. 3, 4. Thy Estimation shall be of the Male from twenty Years old to sixty, fifty Shekels of the Sanctuary ; *Is six Pounds five Shillings :* If a Female, thirty Shekels ; *Is three Pounds fifteen Shillings.*

Verse 5. If it be from five to twenty Years old, the Male twenty Shekels ; *Is fifty Shillings.* A Female ten Shekels ; *Is twenty five Shillings.*

Verse 6. If from a Month to five Years old, of a Male five Shekels ; *Is twelve Shillings and six Pence.* A Female three Shekels ; *Is seven Shillings and six Pence.*

Verse 7. If from sixty and above, of a Male fifteen Shekels ; *Is thirty seven Shillings and six Pence.* A Female ten Shekels ; *Is twenty five Shillings.*

Verse 16. And an Omer of Barley Seeds at fifty Shekels ; *Is six Pounds five Shillings.*

Numbers 3. 47. Thou shalt even take five Shekels for every Person by the Pole, after the Shekel of the Sanctuary ; *Is twelve Shillings and six Pence a Man.*

Verse 50. Of the first born of the Children of Israel, took he the Money, a thousand three hundred threescore and five Shekels, after the Shekel of the Sanctuary ; *Is one hundred and seventy Pounds twelve Shillings and six Pence : A Shekel of the Sanctuary twenty Gerahs, and one Gerah is a Penny half Penny.*

Numb. 7. 12, 13, 14. And he offered his Offering, the first was *Nashen* the Son of *Aminadab*, his Offering was one Silver Charger, of one hundred and thirty Shekels weight, according to the Shekel of the Sanctuary ; *Is sixteen Pounds five Shillings.* One Silver Bowl of seventy Shekels ; *Is eight Pounds fifteen Shillings.* One Incense Cup of Gold of ten Shekels ; *In another Translation it is called, A Golden Spoon ; Is fifteen Pounds : So the Worth of Gold and Silver which one Prince offered, is forty Pounds : So that what the whole Offerings of the twelve Princes, in Silver Chargers, Bowls, Golden Cups, or Spoons, amounts unto, is four hundred and eighty Pounds.*

Numb. 31. 52. And all the Offerings that they offered up to the LORD, of the Captains of thousands and hundreds, was sixteen thousand seven hundred and fifty Shekels of Gold of the Sanctuary ; *Is twenty five thousand one hundred and twenty five Pounds current English Money. Read the thirty first Chapter of Numbers, it will be worth Observation.*

Deuteronomy 22. 19. And they shall condemn or amerce him in an hundred Shekels of Silver ; *Being common, is six Pounds five Shillings.*

Verse 29. — Shall give unto the Damself's Father fifty Shekels of Silver ; *Common, is three Pounds two Shillings and six Pence.*

Joshua 7. 21. And *Achan* said, I saw among the Spoils a goodly Babylonish Garment, and two hundred Shekels of Silver ; *Which were common, is twelve Pounds ten Shillings.* And a wedge of Gold of sixteen Shekels weight ; *Common, is thirty seven Pounds ten Shillings.*

Judges 9. 4. And they gave him seventy pieces of Silver, or Silverings ; *Is eight Pounds fifteen Shillings.*

Judges 16. 5. And the Lords of the Philistines came to *Delilah*, to entice *Sampson*, and said they would give her, every one, eleven hundred pieces of Silver, which were also called Silverings ; *Is one hundred thirty seven Pounds ten Shillings each Lord, being five of them, in the whole, is six hundred eighty seven Pounds ten Shillings.* *Judges*

Judges 17. 2. And Micah said to his Mother, the eleven hundred Shekels of Silver was with me, *Which were common, comes to sixty eight Pounds fifteen Shillings.*

Exra 8. 26, 27. I even weighted unto their hand six hundred and fifty Talents of Silver, *Being of the Sanctuary, is two hundred forty three thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds.* Of Silver Vessels one hundred Talents; *Is thirty seven thousand five hundred Pounds.* And of Gold Vessels an hundred Talents; *Amounts unto four hundred and fifty thousand Pounds.* And twenty Basons of Gold of a thousand Drams, *Each Dram being worth seven Shillings and six Pence, is three hundred seventy five Pounds.* There were two Vessels of fine Copper, as precious as Gold: *But the weight not mentioned.* The total Sum of all the Vessels of Gold and Silver, amounts to seven hundred thirty one thousand six hundred and twenty five Pounds.

Esther 3. 9. If it please the King, let it be written that they may be destroyed, and I will pay a thousand Talents of Silver, *Being the King's, comes unto two hundred eighty one thousand, and two hundred and fifty Pounds.*

1 Samuel 2. 36. Shall I come and bow to him for a piece of Money, or small piece of Silver, &c. *Is Penny half Penny Farthing.*

1 Sam. 9. 8. And Saul's servant said, I have the fourth part of a Shekel, *Which is three Pence three Farthings.*

1 Sam. 17. 4, 5. Goliath of Gath, whose Height was six Cubits and a Span; he was armed with a Coat of Mail, which weighted five thousand Shekels of Brals; *Which is one hundred four Pounds two Ounces.* And the Staff of his Spear was like a Weaver's Beam, and his Spears head weighted six hundred Shekels of Iron; *Which is twelve Pounds and an half.*

2 Samuel 14. 26. When Absalom polled his Head at every Years end; he weighted his Hair at two hundred Shekels by the King's weight, *Which is six Pounds three Ounces.*

2 Sam. 18. 11, 12. And Joab said, I would have given thee ten Shekels, *Being the King's, is eighteen Shillings and nine Pence.* And the Man answered, If I should receive a thousand Shekels of Silver in my Hand, &c. *Is ninety three Pounds fifteen Shillings.*

2 Sam. 12. 30. And he took the King of Ammon's Crown from off his Head, which weighted a Talent of Gold, *Being the King's, is three thousand three hundred seventy five Pounds, current English Money.*

2 Sam. 24. 24. David bought the Threshing-floor and the Oxen for fifty Shekels of Silver ; *Being of the Sanctuary, is six Pounds five Shillings.*

1 Kings 9. 14. And Hiram sent the King fixscore Talents of Gold ; *Being the King's Talents, is four hundred five thousand Pounds English current Money.*

Verse 28. And they came to Ophir, and fetcht from thence four hundred and twenty Talents of Gold, and brought it to King Solomon ; *Is one Million four hundred seventy thousand and five hundred Pound. A Million is a thousand thousand, or ten hundred thousand.*

1 Kings 10. 10. The Queen of Sheba gave the King an hundred and twenty Talents of Gold ; *Is four hundred five thousand Pounds, current English Money.*

Verse 14. Now the Weight of Gold that came to King Solomon in one Year, was six hundred and fixty six Talents of Gold ; *Is two Millions two hundred fourty seven thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds, current English Money.*

Verse 16. And King Solomon made two hundred Targets of beaten Gold, six hundred Shekels went to one Target ; *Which is nine hundred Pounds worth of Gold to one Target. The worth of Gold to the two hundred Targets, in the whole, is one hundred and eighty thousand Pounds.*

Verse 17. And he made three hundred Shields of Gold, three Pound of Gold to one Shield ; *Comes to one hundred twenty Pounds : So that the worth of Gold to the three hundred Shields, amounts unto thirty six thousand Pounds.*

Verse 29. And there came up a Chariot from Egypt, for six hundred Shekels of Silver ; *Is fifty six Pounds five Shillings.* And a Horse for one hundred and fifty Shekels of Silver ; *Is fourteen Pounds, one Shilling and three Pence.*

1 Kings 16. 24. And he bought the Hill Samaria of Shemer, for two Talents of Silver ; *Is five hundred fixty two Pounds ten Shillings, the King's Talent.*

1 Kings 20. 39. Thy Life shall be for his Life, or else thou shalt pay a Talent of Silver : *Being common, is one hundred eighty seven Pounds ten Shillings.*

2 Kings 5. 23. And Naaman said, Be content, take two Talents of Silver : *Being the King's Talent, is five hundred fixty two Pounds ten Shillings.*

2 Kings 6. 25. And there was a great Famine in Samaria : And behold

behold they besieged it, until an Asses head was sold for fourscore pieces of Silver ; *Which is ten Pounds.* And the fourth part of a Cab of Doves dung ; *Which is half a Pint,* for five pieces of Silver ; *Which is twelve Shillings and six Pence.* They used the Doves dung in stead of Salt.

2 Kings 7. 1. Then Elisha said, Hear ye the Word of the Lord, Thus saith the Lord, To morrow about this time shall a Measure of fine Flour be sold for a Shekel ; *Which is one Shilling and three Pence.* And two Measures of Barley for a Shekel ; *Is one Shilling and three Pence,* a Measure being a Bushel : It came to pass as the Man of God had said.

2 Kings 15. 19, 20. And Menahem gave Pull a thousand Talents of Silver ; *Being the Kings, is two hundred eighty one thousand two hundred and fifty Pounds.* And Menahem exacted of each Man that was Wealthy, to give to the King of Assyria fifty Shekels of Silver ; *Being common, is three Pounds two Shillings and six Pence.*

1 Chronicles 21. 25. So David gave to Ornan for the Place, six hundred Shekels of Gold by Weight ; *Being the Shekel of the Sanctuary, is nine hundred Pound English current Money.*

1 Chron. 22. 14. Now behold, in my Trouble, (*another Translation hath it, in my Poverty*) I have prepared for the House of the Lord, an hundred thousand Talents of Gold ; *Being of the Sanctuary, amounts unto forty five thousand Millions, current English Money, a Million being a thousand thousand, or ten hundred thousand.* And a thousand thousand Talents of Silver ; *Being of the Sanctuary, is thirty seven Millions five hundred thousand Pounds.*

1 Chron. 29. 7. And gave for the Service of the House of God, of Gold, five thousand Talents, and ten thousand Drams ; *According to the Talent of the Sanctuary, is two Millions, two hundred fifty three thousand, seven hundred and fifty Pounds.* And of Silver, tenthousand Talents ; *Which is three Millions seven hundred and fifty Pounds, English current Money.* And of Brasse eighteen thousand Talents ; *Which is in Weight two Millions, two hundred and fifty thousand Pounds, which is one thousand and four Tun, and nine hundred thirty two Pounds.* And of Iron one hundred thousand Talents ; *Which is in Weight five Millions, five hundred thousand Pounds, which is five thousand five hundred seventy nine Tun, eleven hundred seventy eight Pound.*

2 Chronicles 3. 8. And he overlaid it with fine Gold, of six hundred Talents of the Sanctuary; *Is two Millions seven hundred thousand Pounds.*

Verse 9. And the weight of the Nails was fifty Shekels of Gold; *Is seventy five Pounds, all according to current English Money.*

2 Chron. 8. 18. And they took from Ophir four hundred and fifty Talents of Gold, and brought them to King Solomon; *Being the Kings Talent, is one Million, five hundred and eighteen thousand, seven hundred and fifty Pounds.*

2 Chron. 9. 9. And she gave the King an hundred and twenty Talents of Gold; *According to the King's Talent, is four hundred and five thousand Pounds.*

Verse 13. Now the Weight of Gold that came to Solomon in one Year, was six hundred and three-score and six Talents of Gold; *According to the King's Talent, is two Millions, two hundred forty seven thousand, seven hundred and fifty Pounds English current Money.*

Verse 15. And King Solomon made two hundred Targets of beaten Gold, six hundred Shekels of beaten Gold went to one Target; *Which is nine hundred Pound worth of Gold to one Target, the worth of Gold to two hundred Targets, is one hundred and eighty thousand Pounds, being of the Sanctuary, English current Money.*

V. 16. And three hundred Shields made he of beaten Gold, three hundred Shekels of Gold went to one Shield; *Which is four hundred and fifty Pounds, the worth of Gold to the three hundred Shields is one hundred and thirty five thousand Pounds, according to the Shekel of the Sanctuary.*

2 Chron. 25. 6. He hired also an hundred thousand mighty Men of Valour out of Israel, for one hundred Talents of Silver; *Being the King's Talent, is twenty eight thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds.*

2 Chron. 27. 5. And the Children of Ammon gave him the same Year, an hundred Talents of Silver *Being common, is eighteen thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds.*

2 Chron. 36. 3. And condemned the Land in an hundred Talents of Silver; *Being common, is eighteen thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds.* And a Talent of Gold; *Being common, is two thousand two hundred and fifty Pounds.*

Jeremiah 32. 9. And weighed him the Money, even seventeen Shekels of Silver; *Being common, is one and twenty Shillings three Pence.*

Ezekiel

Ezekiel 45. 12. And the Shekel shal be twenty Gerahs ; *A Gerah is Penny-half Penny.*

Hosea 3. 2. So I bought her to me for fifteen Pieces of Silver ; *Is thirty seven Shillings and six Pence.*

Here follows the Coins and Money mentioned in the Apocrypha.

TOBIT 1. 14. And he left in Trust with Gabel at Rages a City in Media, according to some Translations, ten Pounds in Silver; *That is, thirty Pounds, but according to the English Translation, ten Talents, being common, is one thousand eight hundred and seventy five Pounds.*

1 Maccabees 10. 40, 42. Demetrius King of Syria, gave every Year fifteen thousand Shekels of Silver : *Being of the Sanctuary (to the Jews, to the building of the Temple) That is, one thousand Minas, which at thirty seven Shillings and six Pence the Mina, is one thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds.* And would restore what had been Yearly taken away, being five thousand Shekels of Silver ; *Is six hundred and twenty five Pounds.*

1 Maccab. 13. 19. So he sent to Tryphon one hundred Talents of Silver ; *Being common, is eight thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds English Money.*

1 Maccab. 14. 24. Simon sent the Romans a great Shield of Gold, weighting one thousand Pounds ; *Is fourty thousand Pounds, English current Money.*

1 Maccab. 15. 13. Or else give me for them five hundred Talents of Silver, and for the Tributes other five hundred Talents ; *In the whole being common, is one hundred eighty seven thousand five hundred Pounds : A common Talent of Silver is one hundred eighty seven Pounds ten Shillings.*

Verse 35. Yet we will give one hundred Talents for them ; *Being Silver, is eighteen thousand seven hundred and fifty Pounds.*

2 Maccabees, 3. 11. In all there were but four hundred Talents of Silver ; *Being of the Sanctuary, is one hundred and fifty Pounds.* And two hundred Talents of Gold ; *Is nine hundred thousand Pounds, English current Money.*

2 Maccab. 4. 8, 9. And he came to the King, and promised him three hundred threescore Talents of Silver, and of another Rent fourscore Talents of Silver ; Besides this he promised him an hundred and fifty Talents of Silver, in the whole five hundred and ninety ; *Being common, is one hundred and ten thousand, six hundred and twenty five Pounds, English Money.*

Verse 19. Which brought three hundred Drachma of Silver for a Sacrifice; Is nine Pounds seven Shillings and six Pence. Promising the King three hundred Talents of Silver; Being common, is fifty six thousand two hundred, and fifty Pounds.

2 Maccab. 8. 10. Ordained also a Tribute for the King of two thousand Talents of Silver, which the Romans should have; Being common, is three hundred seventy five thousand Pounds, English Money.

Verse 11. Promising to sell fourscore ten Jews, for one Talent of Silver; Being common, is one hundred eighty seven Pounds ten Shillings.

Here begins the New Testament Coins, &c.

MATTHEW 17. 27. And take up the Fish that first cometh up: and when thou hast opened his Mouth, thou shalt find a piece of Money: that take and give unto them for me and thee; *Which was called a Stater, or two Didrachmas, is two Shillings and six Pence.*

Matth. 18. 24 and 28. One was brought unto him which ought him ten thousand Talents, which was forgiven him; Being common, is one Million, eight hundred seventy five thousand Pounds. One of his fellow Servants owed him five hundred Pence; Called Drachma, seven Pence half Penny, is three Pounds two Shillings six Pence: Which he would not forgive his Fellow servant.

Matth. 22. 19. And they shewed him the Tribute Money being a Penny; Which is seven Pence half Penny.

Matth. 25. 15. To one he gave five Talents; Being common, is nine hundred thirty seven Pounds ten Shillings: To another two Talents; Is three hundred seventy five Pounds: To another one Talent; Is one hundred eighty seven Pounds ten Shillings.

Matth. 20. 2. He agreed with the Labourers for a Penny a Day; Which is seven Pence half Penny, being the Roman Penny, or Drachma.

Matth. 26. 15. And they Covenanted with Judas for thirty pieces of Silver; Which being two Shillings and six Pence, comes to three Pounds fifteen Shillings.

Acts 19. 19. And they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of Silver; Which is six thousand two hundred and fifty Pounds.

We Read in the Scripture of Legions.

MATTHEW 26. 53. Thinkest thou that I cannot pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve Legions of

of Angels? *Twelve Legions is eight thousand seven hundred and fifty.*

Luke 8. 30. Jesus asked him, saying, What is thy Name? And he said, Legion: Because many Devils were entered into him.

Romulus who built *Rome*, his Legion consisted of three thousand Foot-men, and three hundred Horse-men.

After, in *Julius Caesar's* Time, which was about one hundred and fifty Years before Christ, a Legion was five thousand Foot, and three hundred Horse-men.

Hesych saith, a Legion was six thousand six hundred sixty and six.

After, in *August.* and *Tiberius Caesar's* Time, Christ being Born and Suffered, a Legion was six thousand Foot-men, and seven hundred and thirty Horse-men.

Of Offices and Conditions of Men.

Patriarchs, or Fathers of Families, such as *Abraham Isaac*, and *Jacob* and his Sons. Judges, Temporary supreme Governours, immediately appointed by God over the Children of *Israel*. Kings, And they either of the whole Nation, or after the falling off of the ten Tribes of *Judah* or *Israel*. Elders, or Senators, the Seventy or Sanhedrim. Officers, Provost, Sheriffs, or Executioners. Judges, Inferior Rulers, such as determined Controversies in particular Cities. *Israelites*, *Hebrews* Descendants from *Jacob*, who was named *Israel*, called Children of *Israel*. An *Hebrew of Hebrews*, An *Israelite* by Original Extraction. A *Proselyte of the Covenant*, who was Circumcised, and submitted to the whole Law. A *Proselyte of the Gate*, or *Stranger*, who worshipped one God, but remained Un-circumcised.

Officers under the Assyrian or Persian Monarchs.

T*Irshatha*, The Governour appointed by the Kings of *Assyria* or *Persia*. Heads of the Captivity, The Chief of each Tribe or Family, who exercised a precarious Government during the Captivity.

Under the Grecian Monarchs, Superiour Officers.

M*accabees*, The Successors of *Judas Maccabees*. High-priest, who presided with Kingly Power.

Under the Roman Emperours.

P*residents* or Governours, Sent from *Rome* with Imperial Power. *Tetrachs*, who had Kingly Power in four Provinces. *Proconsuls*, or Deputies of Provinces. *Publicanes*, or Tax-gatherers. *Centurions*, Captains of an hundred Men. *High-priests*,

Ecclesiastical Officers, or Sects of Men.

High-priests, who only might enter the Holy of Holies. *Second Priest*, or *Sagan*, who supplied the High-priest's Office, in case he were disabled. *High-priest, for the War*, Set a part for the Occasion of an Expedition. *Priests*, Levites of the Sons of *Aaron*, divided into twenty four Ranks; each Rank serving Weekly in the Temple. *Levites*, Of the Tribe of *Levi*, but not of *Aaron's* Family: Of these were three Orders, *Gershonites*, *Kobathites*, *Merarites*; several Sons of *Levi*. *Nethinims*, Inferiour Servants to the Priests and Levites, (not of their Tribe) to draw Water, and cleave Wood, &c. *Prophets*, Antiently called *Seers*, who foretold future Events, and denounced God's Judgments. *Children of the Prophets*, Their Disciples or Scholars. *Wise-men*, called so in Imitation of the Eastern Magi or Gentile Philosophers. *Scribes*, Writers, and Expounders of the Law. *Disputers*, That raised and determined Questions out of the Law. *Rabbies*, or *Doctors*, Teachers of *Israel*. *Libertines*, Freed Men of *Rome*, who being *Jews* or *Profelytes*, had a Synagogue or Oratory for themselves. *Gaulonites*, or *Galileans*, who pretended it unlawful to obey a Heathen Magistrate. *Herodians*, who shaped their Religion to the Times, and particularly flattered *Herod*. *Epicureans*, who placed their Happiness in Pleasure. *Stoicks*, who denied the Liberty of the Will, and pretended all Events determined by fatal Necessity. *Simon Magus*, Author of the Hêresie of the *Gnosticks*, who taught that Men, however vicious their Practice was, should be saved by their Knowledge. *Nicolaitanes*, The Disciples of *Nicolas*, one of the first seven Deacons, who taught the Community of Wives, &c. *Nazarites*, who under a Vow abstained from Wine, &c. *Nazarenes*, Jews professing Christianity. *Zelots Sicarii*, or Murderers, who under pretence of the Law, thought themselves authorized to commit any Outrage. *Pharisees*, Separatists, who upon the Opinion of their own Godliness, despised all others. *Sadducees*, who denied the Resurrection of the Dead, Angels and Spirits. *Samaritanes*, Mongrel Professors, partly Heathen, and partly Jews, the Off-spring of the *Affyrians*, sent to *Samaria*. *Apostles*, Missionaries, or Persons sent; they who were sent by our Saviour from their Number, were called, *The Twelve*. *Bishops*, Successors of the Apostles in the Government of the Church. *Deacons*, Officers chosen by the Apostles to take care of the Poor.

A TABLE of Kindred and Affinity, wherein whosoever so related, are forbidden in Scripture, and our Laws, to marry together.

A man may not marry his

1 Grandmother	11 Stepmother	21 Sons Sons wife
2 Grandfathers wife	12 Wifes mother	22 Daughters sons wife
3 Wifes Grandmother	13 Daughter	23 Wifes sons daughter
4 Fathers sister	14 Wifes Daughter	24 Wifes daughters daughter
5 Mothers sister	15 Sons wife	25 Brothers daughter
6 Fathers brothers wife	16 Sister	26 Sisters daughter
7 Mothers brothers wife	17 Wifes sister	27 Brothers sons wife
8 Wifes father sister	18 Brothers wife	28 Sisters sons wife
9 Wifes mothers sister	19 Sons daughter	29 Wifes brothers daughter
10 Mother	20 Daughters daughter	30 Wifes sister daughter.

A woman may not marry her

1 Grandfather	11 Step-father	21 Sons daughters husband
2 Grandmothers husband	12 Husbands father	22 Daughters daughters husband
3 Husbands grandfather	13 Son	23 Husbands sons son
4 Fathers brother	14 Husbands son.	24 Husbands daughters son
5 Mothers brother	15 Daughters husband	25 Brothers son
6 Fathers sisters husband	16 Brother	26 Sisters son (band
7 Mothers sisters husband	17 Husbands brother	27 Brothers daughters hus-
8 Husbands fathers brother	18 Sisters husband	28 Sisters daughters husband
9 Husbands Mothers brother	19 Sons son	29 Husbands brothers son
10 Father	20 Daughters son	30 Husbands sisters son.

A TABLE of Time.

1 Abib or Nifon. 1.	March.	5 Ab. 5.	July.	9 Chisleu 9.	November.
2 Zif or Jiar. 2.	April.	6 Elu. 6.	August.	10 Thebeth. 10.	December.
3 Silvan. 3.	May.	7 Ethanim or Tirsi. 7.	August.	11 Shebeth. 11.	December.
4 Thamus 4.	June.	8 Bul or Marchef. 8.	September.		January.
	July.		October.	12 Ador, or Veadar. 12.	February.
			November.		March.

Days of the Week.

Hours of the Day.

Watches.

1 day of the week, Sunday	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6,	The 2d. or middle watch,
2 day, Monday	Morning from 6 to	from 9 to midnight.
3 day, Tuesday	7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.	The 3d watch, at cock-
4 day, Wednesday	Afternoon from 12 to	crowing from midnight, till
5 day, Thursday	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.	3 in the morning.
6 day, Friday	Watches.	The 4th, or morning watch,
7 day, or Sabbath, Saturday	The first Watch, from evening to 9 at night,	from 3 till morning,

A Table of Weights and Measures mentioned in Scripture.

Measures of Application.	Measures of Capacity of things that are dry.	Measures of Capacity of things that are liquid.
A hairs breadth, 48 parts of an inch.	A kab, a quart.	A bath, 9 gallons, 3 quarts.
A finger, somewhat less than an inch.	An omer, 3 pints and a half.	A pot, or sextary, a pint & half.
A hands breadth, 3 inches.	A measure, or seah, a gallon and half.	A measure or choenix, a quart.
A span 9 inches.	An ephah, half bushel & pottle.	A firkin, 4 gallons and a half.
A foot 12 inches.	Half homer, or sethec, 7 bushels and a quart.	Weights of appension, or counterpoise.
A cubit, a foot and an half.	An homer, or cor, 12 bushels and a pottle.	A shekel in weight, a quarter of an ounce.
An holy cubit, a yard.		A shekel of the sanctuary, half an ounce.
The kings cubit, a foot and 9 inches.		A pound 12 ounces.
A reed, 6 cubits, and a hands breadth.		A talent, 62 pound.
A pace, 5 feet.		A mulesburden, 200 weights.
A furlong, 125 paces.		
A mile, 1000 paces.		
A Gibeon days journey, 600 paces.		

In the Old Testament or Bible, are seven hundred and seventy seven Chapters.

And of Verses, twenty three thousand two hundred and three.

In the New Testament, are two hundred and sixty Chapters.

And of Verses, eight thousand and one hundred.

In the Apocrypha, are one hundred and seventy three Chapters.

Several Books mentioned in the Scripture, supposed to be lost.

The Book of Enosh, of Iddo and Gad the Seers. Samuel wrote a Book of the Office and Instruction of a King.

Solomon wrote a Book of three thousand Parables, and five thousand Songs. Also of the Nature of Herbs, Trees, and Plants; from the Cedar to the Hyssop.

A Book of Chronicles of the Kings of Judah and Israel.

The third of the Corinthians.

The third Epistle of Peter.

The Worth of Gold by Troy Weight.

One Pound of Gold is worth forty Pound.

One Ounce is worth three Pound six Shillings and eight Pence.

One Grain is worth three half Pence.

The Worth of Silver by Troy Weight.

One Pound of Silver is worth three Pound.

One Ounce is worth five Shillings.

One Penny weight is worth three Pence.

One Grain is worth an Half-penny.

This being the Weight of Current Money,

By *Haverdupoize* Weight, one Pound of Gold is Worth fourty nine Pound thirteen Shillings and eight Pence Half-penny. By this it appears one hundred Pound of Silver, weights twenty six Pound five Ounces *Haverdupoize*. And one hundred Pound of Gold Money, weights two Pound, and about a quarter of an Ounce.

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